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Diallyl Disulfide (DADS)

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Contains No CBI

Dear Sir/Madam:

Platte Chemical Co. (Platte) reports that the developmental compound, DADS, has been found to cause tremors, wobbly gait, circling, head wobble, and apparent paralysis in dermally treated rabbits, as well as wobbly gait and piloerection in orally treated rats. All 20 treated rats died at a 5000 mg/kg dose. Platte believes these acute effects are the result of hemolytic anemia as induced by DADS and that the observed neurotoxic effects are secondary and are a direct result of oxygen deprivation due to the hemolytic anemia. DADS is a naturally occurring component of Allium crops such as garlic and onions. There are published reports of Allium crops inducing hemolytic anemia in livestock as well as rats. For at least ten years prior to Platte becoming involved with DADS, the material has been experimentally tested by numerous research personnel through out the world and there have been no reported adverse effects, to our knowledge, on human health or the environment.

If you have any questions or need additional information, please contact me at your convenience at (970) 356-4400.

Respectfully,

Bruce D. Riggle

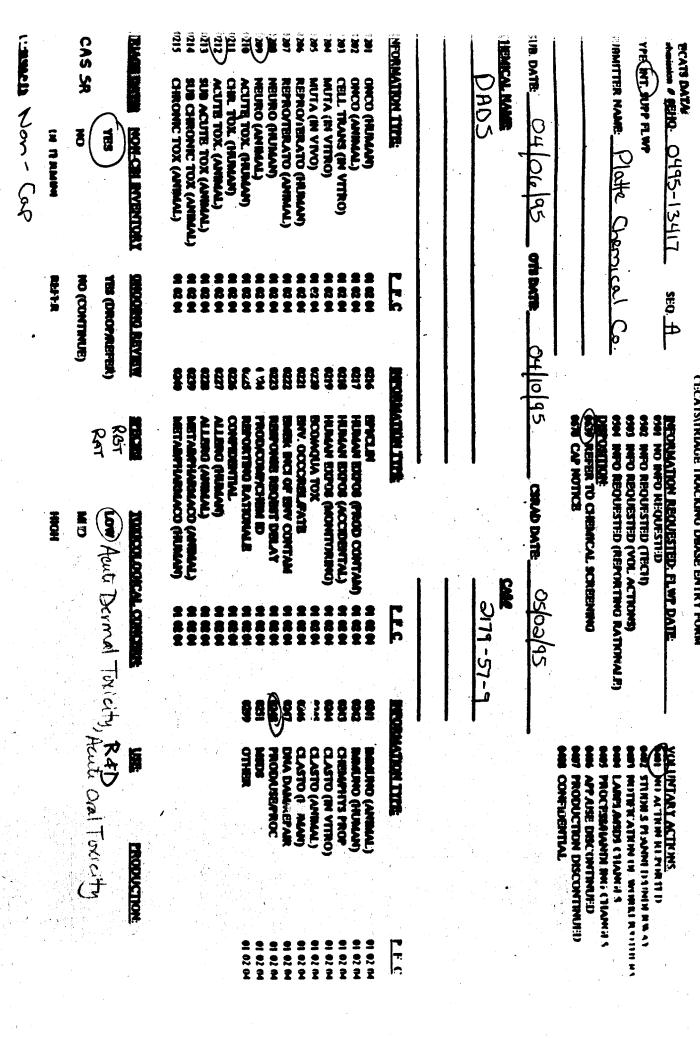
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Acute dermal toxicity is of low concern based on no mortality (0/20) in rats exposed to 5000 mg/kg. Clinical signs included tremors, wobbly gait, circling, head wobble, and apparent paralysis.

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Acute oral toxicity is of low concern based on no mortality (0/20) in rats exposed to 5000 mg/kg. Clinical signs included wobbly gait and piloerection.